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Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application

Docket Number: 03528.0038.US00

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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **IDENTIFICATION OF NUMERICAL CHANGES IN CELL DNA**, the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

☒ was filed on October 22, 1998;
as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 09/171,854; and
was amended on _____ (if applicable).

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PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)			
Application No.	Country	(Day/Month/Year/Filed)	Priority Claimed
196 16 381.1	Germany	24 April 1996	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes No
PCT/DE97/00814	PCT	23 April 1997	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes No
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			Yes No

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Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status
(37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9(e) and 1.27(d)) -- Nonprofit Organization

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☐ the application identified above.
☐ the patent identified above.

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